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SCHOOL OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2013/2014 SESSION

COURSE CODE: GRY 415 (3 UNITS)

COURSE TITLE: REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF DEVELOPED WORLD

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

TIME ALLOWED TWO (2) HOURS

1. Prove the view that Developed Nations are Nations that have full structural transformation of the economy, society, policy and culture that permits self generating use and the development of the people's potentials. **(15marks)**
2. a) How does the New Power Source and Iron ore processing enhanced the development of factory system in Western Europe? **(7marks)**
b) What benefits does the Western Europe derived from industrial revolution? **(8marks).**
3. What factors stimulated the expansion of commercial agriculture of North America? **{15marks}**.
4. Discuss the factors that influenced the Demographic Transformation of the United States from 18th century to the present day. **(15marks).**
5. Why is Japan regarded as the Tiger economy among the new industrialised countries despite the fact that it is a Land locked country? **(15marks).**
6. Justify the statement that transportation has played a crucial role in the development of many developed countries of the world **(15marks).**